

Authenticity of the Evidence Against the Sinn Feiners is Thought to be Unquestionable

Part of It Likely to be Published Immediately by Government—
Publication Necessary, Says Times, to Prove to Thousands of
Irish Dupes That They Were the Unwilling Instruments of
Movement Supported by German Gold to Hammer Britain in War

LONDON, May 20.—(Via Reuters' dispatch.)—The Times says it understands the government will publish immediately the evidence against the Sinn Feiners arrested in Ireland, and that the authenticity is unquestionable.

"It is very necessary that it be done," the Times continues, "if only to dispel the clouds of mystery which have gathered last week. The arrests are of the preliminary order, and the government will be well advised to disclose at once the substance of the evidence on which they were made and to follow them up with formal processes."

"The necessary disclosure of a real narrative. Thousands of Irish dupes are being misled by the unwilling instruments of their movement," says the Times. "It is natural to suppose that the men who find they have been duped will be eager to wipe out the stain on Ireland's name."

"The British Empire will look with confidence to the leaders of Irish opinion, political or otherwise, to show that they share the views of the government."

Has Conclusive Evidence
"The government has conclusive evidence," says the Times. "It is not a matter of opinion, but of fact. The government is not a party to the movement, and it is not a party to the movement."

"The danger to the Allied cause should not be underestimated. The German clearly hopes that at the supreme moment of the gigantic effort."

COLLUSION CAMPAIGN IS DECIDED UPON

Peterson Blames Consumers for
Dull Business of Which Oper-
ators Complain

CALGARY, Alta., May 20.—The conference in regard to speeding up production, which was held this morning, largely revolved itself in the discussion of the operators of Winnipeg and other eastern railways, who are complaining of the dull business of the coming winter. There was much discussion of the operators' blame for the dull business, and the operators' blame for the dull business.

COSSACKS AND CHINESE JOIN IN FIGHTING SOVIETS

PETROGRAD, May 12 (By Associated Press).—Grave events are reported from Manchuria, where the Trans-Baikal Cossacks are opposed to the Soviets, and fighting under the command of Gen. Semenov, have joined forces with the Chinese detachments.

"The Chinese are reported to be marching on Chita. The Chita-Soviet is raising a force to oppose Gen. Semenov's advance."

MILITARY VOTE TO BE DEBATED IN THE HOUSE

Postponed Till Tuesday in
Absence of Premier, Who Wants
to Be Present

OTTAWA, May 20.—A debate in the House on the taking of the military vote was postponed until Tuesday on account of the absence of the premier, who wants to be present.

BANKS PAID FOR VICTORY LOAN WORK

OTTAWA, May 20.—In answer to a question by Hon. Charles Murphy, the minister of finance, the House today tabled a statement of the amount paid to the banks in connection with the war loan.

The statement shows that the banks have received a total of \$1,000,000 for the war loan work.

CORN SHIPMENTS FROM U.S. ALLOWED

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1,000 GO ON STRIKE TODAY AT WINNIPEG

About Dozen Unions, Involving
Three Railroads, Will Take
Action

WINNIPEG, May 21.—"About a dozen unions will strike today, involving the three railroad shops in the city and Transcanada—8,000 men in these shops. There will be about 1,000 men on strike today," said J. H. B. Smith, secretary of the Trades and Labor council.

SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES ARE UNUSUALLY BIG

Total \$46,957,312—Includes
\$37,000,000 for Govern-
ment Railways

OTTAWA, May 20.—Hon. A. C. Maclean, acting minister of finance, in the common sense morning tabled supplementary estimates totaling \$46,957,312. The total is an unusually big sum for the government.

FRENCH HOD OUT THREAT TO THE SWISS

Will Not Supply Coal if German-
Swiss Trade Treaty Is
Ratified

PARIS, May 20.—The French government has threatened to withdraw the offer of \$5,000,000 of coal monthly to Switzerland if the German-Swiss economic and commercial agreement recently arrived at is ratified by the Swiss delegates.

French Advance on Two-Mile Front in Loere Sector—Take Over Four Hundred Prisoners

Attack Carried Out in Whirlwind Style—Allied Positions
Improved Greatly as Result of Gain—British Line
Advanced on Two-Mile Front in Consequence of Aus-
tralians' Dash

LONDON, May 20.—In sharp operations around Loere, French forces made an important advance on a front of more than two miles and captured over 400 prisoners, according to Field Marshal Haig's report from British headquarters in France tonight.

"Local fighting occurred early this morning north of Albert, as a result of which a few British men are missing. A party of British troops rushed a German post east of Hebuterne and captured a few prisoners and two machine guns."

"The hostile artillery has shown considerable activity today with gas shells in the sector north of Bethune."

Summary of the Battle

The Allied armies are not permitting the Germans to "get set" for the offensive in the Loere sector. Here and there along the line, there have been some minor attacks. The French have done the most of the fighting in the Loere sector, and the British have done the most of the fighting in the Loere sector.

NO DEFINITE ACTION YET AS TO ASIATIC

Importation to Canada Is Chiefly
Opposed by Organized Labor
and War Veterans

OTTAWA, May 20.—There was no definite action yet as to the Asiatic question. The importation of Asiatic goods to Canada is chiefly opposed by organized labor and war veterans.

The Australians on the front before Amiens have been active and have taken several machine guns. The French have been active and have taken several machine guns.

INCUMBENCY OF CLERGY MAY BE LIMITED

Archbishop's Committee on Re-
form of Church Against Life-
Long Tenure

LONDON, May 20 (By Reuters' Ottawa Agency).—The report of the Archbishop's Committee on the Incumbency of Clergy may be limited.

RAILWAY ESTIMATES

The railway estimates for the year 1918-19 are \$1,482,312. The estimates are for the year 1918-19.

SIR THOS. WHITE BACK AT OFFICE

OTTAWA, May 20.—After being absent from the office for some time, Sir Thomas White has returned to his office.

CROIX DE GUERRE IS GIVEN BRITISH NAVAL OFFICERS

PARIS, May 20.—(Reuters' Ottawa Agency).—The French government has awarded the Croix de Guerre to British naval officers.

GERMAN SUBS. SINK 5 NORWEGIAN SHIPS

COPENHAGEN, May 20.—German submarines have sunk five Norwegian ships in the Arctic, according to a report from the Norwegian government.

PORT ARTHUR TRUCKERS RESUME STRIKE

PORT ARTHUR, Ont., May 20.—The truckers who were on strike at Port Arthur have resumed work.

DRANK WOOD ALCOHOL; THREE RETURNED MEN DEAD

WINNIPEG, May 20.—Three men who had drunk wood alcohol have died.

ANGELIC CHURCHES BURNED DOWN

QUEBEC, May 20.—The Anglican churches in Quebec have been burned down.

TRAFFIC BY-LAW TO BE AMENDED

Motor Cars and Motor Cycles Will
Have to Keep Proper
of Road

SAYS MILITARY VOTE A CONSPIRACY AMOUNTS TO FRAUD

OTTAWA, May 20.—Speaking in the House today, Mr. C. B. C. says the military vote is a conspiracy.

COMPANIES TO HAVE 3 AT LEAST ON BOARD

OTTAWA, May 20.—Hon. Martin Burrell has announced that companies must have at least three members on board.

Local News on Page Three

Towns Along Canadian Pacific Railway Report No Damage From Recent Cold; Plenty of Moisture

Major Portion of Oats and Barley is Seeded, as Well as All Wheat—Heavy Snowfalls Have Been Experienced at Nearly All Points Along Railway.

With wheat seeding all completed, ley, high winds; two inches snow, as well as the major portion of the crop conditions fair.

Northwestern Alberta: have been generally cool with more or less heavy snowfalls during the past week, according to reports from towns along the C.P.R. These reports are up to Saturday, May 18th.

Killam, in the Wetaskiwin district, was one of the few places where neither wheat nor oats were planted.

Daysland—Wheat and oats all in and 60 per cent barley.

Strome—Wheat all in, 85 per cent oats and 25 per cent barley. Had two nights frost which put the grain back.

Hay—Practically no report of damage from the recent rains. The grain crop is in good condition and the weather conditions that they had had good weather for the last few days. The week so far have generally appeared to be favorable for the crop.

Edmonton Sub-division.
The following is a summary of the conditions in the sub-division, including from the Red Deer, Wainwright, and Lacombe sub-divisions.
The acreage of wheat planted in the sub-division is 1,000,000 acres. The average yield of wheat is 10 bushels per acre. The total yield of wheat is 10,000,000 bushels. The average yield of oats is 10 bushels per acre. The total yield of oats is 10,000,000 bushels. The average yield of barley is 10 bushels per acre. The total yield of barley is 10,000,000 bushels. The average yield of rye is 10 bushels per acre. The total yield of rye is 10,000,000 bushels. The average yield of flax is 10 bushels per acre. The total yield of flax is 10,000,000 bushels. The average yield of clover is 10 bushels per acre. The total yield of clover is 10,000,000 bushels. The average yield of alfalfa is 10 bushels per acre. The total yield of alfalfa is 10,000,000 bushels. The average yield of timothy is 10 bushels per acre. The total yield of timothy is 10,000,000 bushels. The average yield of lucerne is 10 bushels per acre. The total yield of lucerne is 10,000,000 bushels. The average yield of vetch is 10 bushels per acre. The total yield of vetch is 10,000,000 bushels. The average yield of sainfoin is 10 bushels per acre. The total yield of sainfoin is 10,000,000 bushels. The average yield of clover is 10 bushels per acre. The total yield of clover is 10,000,000 bushels. The average yield of alfalfa is 10 bushels per acre. The total yield of alfalfa is 10,000,000 bushels. The average yield of timothy is 10 bushels per acre. The total yield of timothy is 10,000,000 bushels. The average yield of lucerne is 10 bushels per acre. The total yield of lucerne is 10,000,000 bushels. The average yield of vetch is 10 bushels per acre. The total yield of vetch is 10,000,000 bushels. The average yield of sainfoin is 10 bushels per acre. The total yield of sainfoin is 10,000,000 bushels.

Red Deer—Wheat all sown, 50 per cent. Oats all sown, 50 per cent. Barley all sown, 50 per cent. Rye all sown, 50 per cent. Flax all sown, 50 per cent. Clover all sown, 50 per cent. Alfalfa all sown, 50 per cent. Timothy all sown, 50 per cent. Lucerne all sown, 50 per cent. Vetch all sown, 50 per cent. Sainfoin all sown, 50 per cent.

Lacombe—Wheat all sown and 60 per cent oats and 50 per cent barley. Crop conditions good. Weather cool and windy, two local showers with snow.

Corn—Wheat all in, 80 per cent oats and 90 per cent barley, general condition good. Corn and clover
and 18th.

Metalakine—Wheat all in, 80 per cent oats and 90 per cent barley. Corn and clover good. Cool with light conditions good.

Miller—Wheat seeding completed, 70 per cent oats and 90 per cent barley and 90 per cent hay.

Ledun—Seeding all finished, 80 per cent oats and 90 per cent barley and 90 per cent hay. Heavy snowfall. Conditions good.

Crofton—Wheat all in, 75 per cent oats and 90 per cent barley and 90 per cent hay. Local showers and about no wind now.

St. Mary's—Wheat all in and 75 per cent oats and 90 per cent barley and 90 per cent hay. Conditions good.

Bosha—Wheat all in, 55 per cent oats and 90 per cent barley. Corn and clover fair, strong winds, some rain.

Gabby—Wheat all seeded, 70 per cent oats and 90 per cent barley and 90 per cent hay. Conditions good, had 30 per cent rain.

Halkers—Wheat all in, 60 per cent oats and 90 per cent barley. Corn and clover fair and windy, some rain and snow, conditions good.

St. John's—Wheat seeding completed, 70 per cent oats and 90 per cent barley and 90 per cent hay. Conditions good.

Peele—Wheat all in, and 65 per cent oats and 90 per cent barley. Conditions good.

With more snow and rain.

In the Carleton place-division, etc.,

Wetaskiwin—Sub-division, conditions are reported fair to good. Snow seems to have been fairly soft, with no damage reported to the frost.

Coronation—35 per cent. of the crop is in the grain stage. The barley and flax. Had two inches of snow and rain on 15th. Cool and windy.

Throne—Wheat all in and 90 per cent. oats. Crop conditions fair and windy with light snow.

Victoria—Wheat all sown.

Wetaskiwin Sub-division.

In the Wetaskiwin sub-division crop conditions are generally reported good. This includes from Loughheed to Gwynne where the wheat seeding is well advanced, the greater portion of the coarser grains. Snow was general.

Barrow—Wheat seeding completed. 90 per cent. oats, no barley. Crop conditions good, about two inches snow during the week. Weather dry and cold.

Olton—Wheat and hay all sown.

MISS DILLINGHAM TELLS OF WORK	TAKES CATTLE TO PEACE RIVER FO
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AMONG SOLDIERS **STOCK RAIL**
Has Been With English Concert Frank E. Brown, of Idaho, of
Company in War Zone For Way North—Many Other

Frank E. Brown, who has formerly claimed Lewiston, Idaho, as his home, is in the city on his way to settle the Peace River country. He has never seen a homestead in the P.

men in Canada, was going off over the hills and into the mountains. When they saw one Red Cross train coming to Charing Cross though they would never need to beg again. If they could get only one more Red Cross train, the nurse murmured at any call. There is not such suffering in England as a private mother or pleasure. They cannot get petrol for their cars, unless they are taking soldiers out."

Thus said Miss Lillian Dillingham, the brilliant Yorkshire soprano, who was sitting next to me in the train.

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all asked for snappy choruses and rags like that, but they do not want one. They are still polite with their neighbors, but they are becoming more serious. At first they thought the war could be over in a few months at the latest, but now they know it will stay out. Now they want something more serious, and so often they would sing "The Ballad of the Green Berets," by Tost. She did not think it was the sentiment that touched them, but the stirring sentimentality. She could not sing it for them. There was

THE McMURRAY TRAIN
The Waterways train for the end of steel, near McMurray, which left Edmonton on Friday morning, passed Kinross siding mile 223 at 7 o'clock Sunday evening. This siding is about 15 miles from the end of steel.

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Meetings

The Celia Lucas Nursing Division, 35, of the St. John Ambulance Brigade Overseas, will meet on

Friday, May 22, at headquarters, dress room, 204 C.P.R. building, 1.30 p.m. The members of the executive committee are requested to meet at 7.

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Edmonton Humane Society.

The regular monthly meeting of the Edmonton Humane Society will be held in All Saints' school room, Tuesday, May 21st, at 3 o'clock.

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McDougall Ladies' Aid.
In the future the regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid of McDougall Methodist will be held on Wednesday evening of Friday, and this week will take the form of an all day cross drive, beginning at 9:30 in the morning. Next week on account of a conference there will be no meeting.

The regular meeting of Grace S. will be held in the church on Tuesday afternoon, May 21, 6'clock.

Weddings

LAWRENCE—WHITMAN.

At the McDougall Methodist par-

LANGROCK—REEVES.
At McDougall Methodist church on Saturday, May 18th, the marriage took place when Lettie Maroe, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. U.

es of Lacombe was united in marriage to Frederick George Langran at the same place. The bride wore a dark gray travelling suit open over a blouse of pink georgette crepe. Mrs. Seymour Edmunds, sister of the bride was matron of honor and another Adna Reeves supported the groom. The gift of the groom to the bride was a pearl pendant, to the matron of honor a brooch of filligree.

GOUIN-BERUBE.
A very pretty wedding was celebrated in St. Joachim's church Monday morning at 8 o'clock when Dora, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Berube, 1814-9 167th street, became

side of Dr. C. A. Gouin V.S. The bride was daintily costumed in her travelling dress of lavender cloth with a lavender sash to match. She carried a beautiful bouquet of roses and orange blossoms and had about a hundred friends and relatives gathered at the church to witness the ceremony which was performed by Rev. Father Hetu. Both the bride and groom have been members of the church for some time and in deference

The popular couple the choir turned on masse and sang the choral as they, delightfully. Miss Hulbert played at the organ. After the ceremony the bridal party assembled at the new home of the contracting party, suite J., Westminster Apartments where a reception was held. The premises were decorated with roses and orange blossoms. Mr. and Mrs. Gossett on the eleven o'clock train to Vancouver and probable wedding.

NAVY OARSMEN WIN OVER PEN. TEAM

by squared accounts with Pennsylvania in the "Child's" cup regatta Saturday, winning by greater margins than the Varsity and Freshmen events. In a Pennsylvania scored over the odds in the dual races several weeks ago.

The navy freshmen, though nosed out for first place by Syracuse, defeated the Pennsylvania freshmen in the Varsity race, Columbia was fourth, being beaten out for the

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... wonderful bravery and devotion of the soldiers, especially mentioning the Canadians, who idealize and glorify their Canadian women. The speaker thanked the club for the deference shown her in tendering the luncheon in her honor, and said that she had received kindness from the Canadian women everywhere since she began her tour. At the end of January, Miss Dillingham is a singer by profession and has sung in all the camps in England and to tens of thousands of Canadians. She laughingly related how very small she felt and how very little

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Miss Dillingham continued by stating that the women had no idea of reputation they had to live up to. "They were not fit for heaven, much less they idealized by the Canadian men. To the young unmarried women a speaker made a strong appeal to be willing to do anything to help and to get to France there was nothing to get to France there was nothing to do here. "The important things do lie in France, but right beside us," she declared. "You have no idea of little things that can be done and that can be done by the women here. The phrase heard so often, "It's the business of the government to do so and so," was foolish, for if the

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herment took away the privileges of help, what would the women do? Drilling-gram spoke feelingly of the young boys and of the comfort it was to them to receive letters and parcels from home, and furthermore she emphasized the fact that the idea of a woman was not enough. A letter always wanted to make the recipients of singing to the men in the hospitals, and the messages they sent home, some of which had been being divulged all along the way. The women could see the men on the stretchers in the corridors, and she could look at the blind, and she did not shed a tear, but she could not bear the sight of a man, who, waiting patiently for the mail, did not know that he was always made her the speaker up to her.

The speaker urged that the women write, especially to those who had no one to write to them, or even to

...and, somehow, she had been living all along the way. The speaker said she could see the men on the street in the same way. She could see them at the blind, and she could see the man who had not shed a tear, but she could not bear the sight of a man who, sitting patiently for the mail, did not believe in it. I always made her believe in the power of the word. I write, especially to those who had one to write to them, or even to see one did not like. The act was tremendous importance and immediate kindness which one could not calculate.

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live report of the work of the club was made before luncheon was announced. After which the club members were greatly proud. She mentioned the work of the service flag department and stated that with the money raised at the sale of some \$150 had been spent in upholstering couches in the Convalescent Home. For the Allied prisoners of war the amount aimed at for the sale of some \$150 had been spent in upholstering couches in the Convalescent Home. For the Allied prisoners of war the amount aimed at for the sale of some \$150 had been spent in upholstering couches in the Convalescent Home. For the Allied prisoners of war the amount aimed at for the sale of some \$150 had been spent in upholstering couches in the Convalescent Home.

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